(e) details of other medicines where prices have been increased, reported in ORG and intimated by manufacturers to his Ministry along with earlier, increased price and percentage increase in each case?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) and (b) Prices of some medicines have gone up whereas with Government's intervention prices of some have been decreased also.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) and (e) A very large number of formulation packs for under non-scheduled category and the required details are quite voluminous and are not readily available. The time and effort required for collection of these will not be commensurate with the results likely to be achieved. Wherever price increase is abnormal the department has intervened to bring down prices.

Utilising natural resources of Orissa for energy

24. SHRI KANHU CHARAN LENKA: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have prepared or propose to prepare any projects for utilising the natural resources of Orissa for harnessing more energy;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) to what extent the projects will benefit the local people in getting employment?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY AND THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) to (c) For harnessing more commercial energy based on coal, a long-term plan has been drawn up to increase coal production from the present level of 8.96 m.t. to over 39 m.t. by 1994-95, in Orissa. According to broad estimates about 6000 [illegible] to be created in the new coal projects. A number of coal based thermal power plants will be fed coal from the Orissa coalfields.

Besides coal, there are various renewable energy development programmes being implemented in Orissa which, include biogas, improved chullahs, solar thermal and photovoltaics, wind energy, bio-mass, bio-energy etc. to meet the energy requirements in rural areas. In addition, four hydro electric projects have also been taken up in the state sector. These schemes are expected to benefit a large number of local people. These schemes are:

		(MW)
1.	Upper Indravati	4x150
2.	Rengali Extension	9x50
3.	Upper Kolab Exten.	1x80
4.	Potteru	2x3

Allotment of petrol pump

25. SHRIMATI SURYAKANTA JAYAWANTRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that India Oil Corporation Limited has allotted a new petrol pump in village Sonere, District Akola (Maharashtra) on the 14th March this year;

(b) if so, whether all the rules and regulations have been followed in this case;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(d) if the answer to part (b) above be in the negative, what are the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI RAFIQUE ALAM): (a) Indian Oil Corporation Limited has not allotted any new retail outlet in village Sonere, District Akola (Maharashtra) on the 14th March, 1988: